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In re Patent Application of)
Thorbjorn ANDERSSON et al) Group Art Unit: 1772 #16E
Application No.: 09/423,207) Examiner: M. Patterson K0
Filed: November 3, 1999)
For: EXTRUDED/BLOW MOULDED)
BOTTLE, AS WELL AS A)
METHOD AND MATERIAL FOR)
PRODUCING THE BOTTLE)

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REPLY AND AMENDMENT
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated May 8, 2002, Applicants submit the following amendment and remarks. A three month extension of time is also filed concurrently herewith.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend Claim 1 as follows.

1. (Thrice Amended) An extruded/blow molded bottle having an extruded

wall structure comprising an intermediate layer of foamed plastic and outer, solid